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ALLIES HALT FOE DRIVE
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FOE HURLED BACK BY ALLIES

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, May 19.—Further attacks northeast of Ypres, against the new front of the allies broke down last night under heavy artillery fire.

PARIS, April 19.—The French last night reduced German machine gun nests on the front of yesterday's attack southeast of Amiens, the war office announces. There was heavy artillery fighting in this region.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, April 19.—Exhausted by the failure of yesterday's heavy attacks on the Givenchy-Le Bassee canal front, the Germans made no further moves during the night, and on the greater part of the Flanders battle front quiet prevailed this morning.

The British re-established their line west of Robecq, on the southwesterly part of the Lys battle front field, recapturing ground at Riez du Vinage farm yesterday.

Kemmel Hill, on the northerly side of the battle area, was still being heavily bombarded this morning in preparation for fresh assaults by the Germans.

The British destroyed bridges thrown across La Bassee canal yesterday by the enemy. They hold the entire waterway, in addition to having re-established their line west of Robecq.

TURKS INVADE CAUCASIAN RUSSIA

LONDON, April 19.—On the Caucasus front the Turks, in their invasion of former Russian territory, are approaching the city of Kars, says an official statement issued in Constantinople on Wednesday.

ITALIAN ARMY FIGHTS IN FRANCE

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Italian regiments already are in France and form the right wing of the allied armies, the Italian embassy announced today.

BILL INCLUDES WOMEN SPIES

WASHINGTON, April 19.—President Wilson today signed the bill extending provisions of the espionage act to women and requiring registration of women enemy aliens.

U. S. ARMY OF 2,500,000 BY 1919

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The quartermaster general's department is preparing equipment for an army of 2,500,000 in the field or training camps by the end of 1918, it developed today. Estimates for Congress provide an increase in the armed forces of a million men during the next fiscal year.

RHEIMS WRECKED BY 100,000 SHELLS

PARIS, April 19.—Rheims, which has been on fire for a week, is now nothing but a great pile of smoking ruins. During the past week the Germans have fired more than 100,000 shells into the heart of the city, according to the correspondent of Le Martin, and flames from the burning buildings can be seen by aviators sixty and seventy miles away.

DUTCH SPURN BELGIAN COAL

WASHINGTON April 19.—In seeking to arrange commercial agreements with the northern European neutrals, Germany is offering property seized in individual territory in exchange for the neutral's products. Dispatches to the State Department today said Holland had refusted an offer from Germany of 50,000 tons of Belgian coal when the Dutch government learned where the coal was to be mined.

RUSH NAVAL BILL TO GET TROOPS OVER

WASHINGTON, April 19—Warned that "the troops must be sent abroad," the House set aside congressional precedent this afternoon and prepared to rush the naval appropriation bill to a vote within forty-eight hours.

The bill carries appropriations totaling $1,355,000,000.

URGE IRISH TO RESIST DRAFT

DUBLIN, April 19.—A manifesto declaring Irish conscription is a "violation of the rights of small nations" has been issued by a conference of Irish party, Sinn Fein and Irish laborite leaders. The manifesto exhorts the Irish people to the utmost resistance.

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COUNTY TO PROVIDE SHIP FULL OF FOOD

From all over the county the glad tidings keep coming that our good friends and neighbors of other Contra Costa towns and communities are getting both interested and enthusiastic over the sailing of that shipload of food to our soldiers in France. The following is from the Martinez Standard:

The provisioning of an entire ship for the American forces in France is to be the work of Contra Costa county, if the plan now under way and conceived by F. J. Hulaniski, editor of Richmond, are carried out. Hulaniski has charge of the Federal War Garden campaign in this county and his plan is one of the most striking yet put forward. It has the official endorsement of the United States Government and the enthusiastic support of all to whom it has been broached.

Hulaniski plans to secure a ship which is to be furnished by the government. This ship will be fully provisioned throughout with products of Contra Costa county. The ship will be loaded in the fall, when the crops have been harvested and every resident of the county who grows or produces anything will be invited to contribute to the cargo.

Already in the city of Richmond ten city blocks have been plowed up and planted to potatoes. In the course of a few weeks ten more blocks will be planted. The citizens of the city are to cultivate the crop and harvest it, the seed being purchased with money raised by subscription.

The call is shortly to be sounded throughout the county for the provisioning of the ship. Canneries and other factories working on food stuffs will be asked to donate. Assurance has already been given that about 100 sacks of sugar will be forthcoming from the California-Hawaiian Sugar Company and many crates of canned goods have also been promised.

The school children of the county who are engaged in war gardening will be asked to turn their crops over to the Domestic Science departments of the high schools for canning, and this will also go to make up the shipment.

Farmers will be asked to contribute corn, potatoes, fruits and other farm products and there will be a depot in every city, town and hamlet in the county where the goods will be gathered up and sent to the main depot in Richmond, there to be assembled and loaded on the steamer.

The ship will sail from Richmond harbor and the occasion of its going will be made a county wide celebration, leaders from every walk of life being present to participate in the program which will be given then

Ban on Korn Slaughter House

The slaughterhouse of Max Korn at El Cerrito was closed up yesterday by health Commissioner Charles R. Blake, following an investigation with Sanitary Inspector Wyatt of the slaughter houses in that district.

This is the result of an article appearing in the News a week ago, in which the question was raised as to whether tainted meat was sold in Richmond, following which the Council ordered an investigation.

The place is said to be in a very filthy and unsanitary condition and until it is improved no meat will be sold from there.

Richmond Club Entertainment Soon

The ladies of the Richmond Club will hold an entertainment at their club house Tuesday, April 30, when Miss Aridina Treadwell, a dramatic reader of note, will be the feature of the program. Besides her there will be other vocal numbers from noted songsters.

The proceeds from the affair will be for the uses of club funds. In charge of the affair is a committee including Mrs. J. T. Conwell, Mrs. A. B. Childs, Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, and Miss Minnie Dohrman. Tickets to the affair will sell for 15 cents.

LIBERTY LOAN SPECIAL HERE

Lt. Johnson to Speak —Other Bond News

Everyone who can should arrange to be out at the Southern Pacific station at Seventh and Macdonald at 8:35 this morning to give a hearty reception to the Third Liberty Loan special train with Lieutenant Johnson, late from the French front abroad.

He will relate his experiences in the front line trenches to give you an idea what our boys will buck up against and what we must do to back them up to help them conquer the Hun, so that Liberty and Democracy may live.

He will tell of the hideous atrocities perpetrated by the Huns of which he personally knows of and how we may help rid the earth of this scourge by subscribing to the best of our ability for the third Liberty Loan which will furnish the sinews of war for our boys "over there" through which that will be accomplished.

Accompanying him on the train will be a large Southern Pacific band, composed of employes of the railroad, and who will furnish several thrilling patriotic numbers.

The train will stop here for ten minutes and then will go on up the road stopping at other towns along the road.

Concrete Road to Martinez

Autoists rejoice, jubilate, for Supervisor Zez Knott has finally won the hard fight for the improvement of the Franklin Canyon road to Martinez.

The road, which, in the present condition, could hardly be called a highway, will be concreted from the city limits of Hercules to Martinez, a distance of eleven miles, and put in first-class condition this summer.

County Surveyor Ralph Arnold will present plans and specifications at the next meeting, when bids will be advertised for.

Three cheers for Supervisor Zeb Knott.

Pittsburg Post Enlists Promptly

The following from Joe Tracy, editor of the Pittsburg Post, shows that his heart is in the right place, as we have always known it was. Joe and this scribe pioneered in the same territory in Kansas and Nebraska in the early days, way back yonder longer ago than either of us like to admit:

Pittsburg, Cal., April 17, 1918.

F. J. Hulaniski.

Dear Sir:—Your favor of yesterday in regard to war garden project at hand. Permit me to say that I think the idea of sending a ship load of provisions to the American boys in France a good one, and will do what I can toward overloading the ship, that it may carry just a little bit more of food for "our boys" than the estimated amount. The limit or efficiency, and then some, during these trying times.

J. E. TRACY,
Editor Post.

ITALIAN BAND DANCE

The Italian colony will entertain with a social dancing party at the Point opera house tonight to which everybody is welcome.

Mrs. C. S. Gibson attended a club meeting in Berkeley yesterday afternoon.

RICHMOND NEARING MAXIMUM QUOTA

The subscriptions to the third Liberty Loan increase in a very encouraging manner and the figures yesterday afternoon were $342,150.

The subscriptions still continue at the Standard and when the final figures are made known it is hoped that the $400,000 mark will not be far off.

Friday, April 26th, 1918, has been designated by President Wilson as Liberty Bond Day. A committee is working on plans for the observance in Richmond on that day and will announce details later.

Thursday evening at the circus Wilbur Pierce addressed the audience on Liberty Bonds, while City Attorney D. J. Hall spoke at the T. & D. Theater. This evening there will be talks in all of the local theaters.

It is reported that the men in one department in a local plant threatened to strike unless one of their fellow-workers who refused to buy a bond either bought or left the department. Richmond is not a happy place today for the man who does not buy a Liberty Bond. It is reported that 97 per cent of the platform men of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railways in Richmond have bought Liberty Bonds totaling over $5,000. Reports from practically all local factories indicate that the people of Richmond are all taking a decided interest in the campaign.

Special committees of men are at work in different sections of the town soliciting Liberty Bond subscriptions.

Interesting Lecture to Merchants

Particular emphasis was laid on the value of newspaper advertising to the retail merchant in the lecture delivered by W. J. Burns at the Lincoln Auditorium last night to clerks and mehchants on retail merchandising. Mr. Burns said in part:

"More people can be reached oftener and at less expense by newspaper advertising than [illegible] other medium. But don't [illegible] a few dollars advertising, and then say advertising doesn't pay. Make advertising a continuous policy of your store, and you will not be disappointed with results." The proper method of preparing newspaper advertisements was also shown.

A three reel picture entitled "The Troubles of a Merchant" was very much enjoyed.

A very interesting lecture on city beautifying was delivered to an auditorium full of men and women and scores of children from the high school and the upper grammar grades by Mr. Burns in the afternoon.

Native Daughters Plan Cabaret

The cabaret committee of the Native Daughters held a special meeting last night at the home of Mrs. E. King to make the final arrangements for the huge cabaret that they will hold at Pythian Castle next Tuesday evening, April 23.

Arrangements were made to have the following entertainers present: Miss Carrie Ellsworth and ballet troupe, composed of her pupils. Songs by the Peerless Quartet, composed of Jack Crow, Jack Walker, Al Ashcraft and Roy Patterson. Vocal solos by Bessie Campbell, Jack Crow and Roy Patterson. Dance by Elanor Hart. Miss Hazel Dunkin will be the accompanist.

Then there will be dancing and serving of delicious menus by the ladies. The committee of arrangements is composed of Mrs. E. King, chairman; Mrs. Hart, Mrs. P. Barry, Mrs. R. Spiersch, Mrs. L. Krumdick and Mrs. C. R. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Roberts left for Calgary, Canada, last night, with a view of settling there if the country looks satisfactory.

Mrs. W. A. Boone has recovered from her recent illness and is able to be up and about again.

Buy Liberty Bonds Now



YOUR MONEY OR THEIR LIVES.

The War Garden Work

Ah, folks, it was a sight to warm one's heart that greeted us when we showed up at the war garden in the Pullman section yesterday morning, for there sitting on the grass, with big kitchen aprons on, armed with sharp knives and cutting up potatoes by the sack and bushel, were a lot of Richmond's most prominent ladies, and all hard at work. And in the field adjoining were two plows making furrows and covering the potatoes, and following there were two men dropping the spuds. It sure did look like business.

The ladies were attending strictly to business, and it kept the men and teams busy keeping up with them—in fact they couldn't keep up, for the ladies' fingers flew as fast in cutting those potatoes as they do over the piano keys at their homes. Those at work were Mrs. J. G. Gerlach, Mrs. J. B. Ogborn, Mrs. K. G. Lee, Mrs. B. H. Stoddard, Mrs. W. H. Bryant, Mrs. Liebhauser and Mrs. Alma Woodwarth. We were certainly very proud of these patriotic women, and doffed the editorial broadbrim and got busy at once helping to chop up the spuds.

This morning the force of yesterday is relieved by Mrs. Clinch and her two boys, a lot of Rev. Sanborn's boy scouts, and a number of News carrier boys. It is expected that this particular acreage will be all planted by noon today, and this afternoon will be harrowed and dragged.

Dark of the Moon

Part of the Pullman war garden potatoes have been planted in the dark of the moon and part in the light, and now people keep insisting that it will be better to wait a couple of weeks before planting the Brown-Andrada garden, so as to strike the dark of the moon again. Say! Is there anything in this dark of the moon business, or is it superstition? Who knows for sure? Information wanted at this office—phone it in. The five blocks on the Brown-Andrada tract are all plowed and harrowed and ready to plant. Should we wait on the moon, or not?

Fire Chief Lemoine just phoned in, in the middle of this article, and said he and his two boys would be on hand also in the morning, and work wherever needed. Fine! If anybody works so fast they get up a friction and the potatoes get on fire, the chief will be there to put 'em out, and the Pullman firehouse is only a block away, too.

Never fear, neighbors and friends, we will all have the pleasure and satisfaction of seeing that ship sail out of the Richmond harbor next fall, laden with Contra Costa products, and bound for France.

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"I am not going to let this thing and that keep me from a savings account any longer."

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FOR RENT—Five-room furnished house; close in; references required. Apply 520 12th st. 92t2

FOR SALE—New 5-room residence; lot 25x100; two blocks from car line; $2250; $150 cash, balance $25 a month. Investigation will prove this a bargain. Owner, JOHN OPMAN, 1700 Macdonald ave. 91ts6

FOR RENT—3-room apartments, completely furnished, $20, including phone, water and garage; good location. THE RICHMOND CO., 23rd and Macdonald avenue. Phone Richmond 444. 74-tf

FOR SALE—5-room modern house, 30-foot lot, driveway to rear, with garage; $2200; $400 cash, balance $25 a month. J. W. BYRN, 909 Macdonald ave. Phone 756. 68tf

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5-room house; modern; 2 cement garages; fine home, worth $8500. A snap for quick sale, $4700; at the Point.

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Mayers' American Cleaning and Dyeing Establishment at 1116 Macdonald avenue, is so well known in Richmond for many years past that it is probably needless to say that it is the leader in this line of business in this city. If you want your old suit made to look like new let Mayers do it. That's his business and he knows how. Incidently, he doesn't charge but very little. For further information telephone Richmond 452. tf.

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How long have you longed to get away from the drudgery of your job? Opportunity is calling you now!

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Come in and talk it over.

R. W. BYRN,
909 Macdonald ave

LITERARY GEMS

That is what a number of the brightest men of America have said of the Thinkograph. It will soon be out of print and then you cannot get it at all. The News still has a few bound volumes at cost price, 50 cents, and suggests that you put one in your library before it is too late. tf

EVERYBODY READS THEM

Results prove that everybody reads these Want Ads. If you lose something, they find it; if you find something want to rent a house or apartment, they get it for you; if you want to either buy or sell anything, the Want Ad in the News is the quickest and cheapest sales agent you can employ. Try it and see. tf

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FRATERNAL CARDS

STAGS—Patriotic and Protective Order of Stags meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in W. O. W. hall, Seventh and Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. H. L. Springer, Recorder, 101 Ohio street; H. E. Somerville, Exalted Director.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 687 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald avenue. Consul Commander, R. H. Cunningham, residence 520 Ohio street; Clerk, H. L. Springer, residence 101 Ohio street, telephone Richmond 953.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth street and Macdonald avenue. James A. Shaffer, N. G.; J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second street.

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The Editor Says:

THE WAR OUTLOOK

It is very hard for the average person to dope out the true state of affairs of the great battles now being waged over on the western front, but as near as we are able to figure it out from the mass of dispatches the situation looks a bit better than it did a week ago.

At the beginning of this week it was evidently critical for the British forces trying to hold the line intact, which they admitted, and that the Germans have made serious inroads upon the allies is also true. But the toll they have paid is something that is making the world gasp with its awfulness. Probably in the neighborhood of half a million Germans are dead today who were alive two weeks ago, and thousans of trains pour back laden with the wounded. Hundreds of great baskets and boxes have been sent back to Berlin, full of little metal indentification checks—representing many thousands of the dead. The losses are said to be about three to one in favor of the allies, and as long as this state of affairs lasts the Germans are getting whipped, no matter if they do capture towns and territory here and there more or less.

Last night's dispatches state that large reinforcements are daily pouring to the front from both France and Italy, and it is known that more than 100,000 American soldiers are now at the front, so, with the killing and wounding being three to one in favor of the allies, and with reinforcements now coming up all the time, and the Germans getting more and more worn down, it is only a matter of time until the tide turns and counter attacks will put the enemy on the defensive and begin to drive them back where they came from.

There should be no peace talk and no comprodises now. This war has got to be fought out to a finish, until Germany is beaten good and plenty, if it takes five year, or ten years, or any other number. Better have it over with now we are at it, and then never have it to do over again.

The slaughter is fearful, almost beyond comprehension, and that the Germans are great fighters, and have put up the greatest war the world ever heard of, must be conceded, but it is safe to say and feel now that the worst has been met and that from now on the tide must gradually turn in favor of the allies.

The end may come with this year, but it does not look like it now. We look for two more years of fighting.

As a part of the third Liberty Loan campaign plans, a movement is quietly under way to show up the "financial slackers"—men who are well able to help the government financially and who so far have bought neither Liberty Bonds nor war stamps—men who have done nothing one way or another toward winning the war. There are such people, strange to say.

SWIVEL-CHAIR OFFICIALS

Scarcely a week passes that newspaper offices do not discover that some new "war commission" has bobbed up, seeking publicity and asking for funds with which to carry on certain alleged phases of war work. Frankly, we are of the opinion that the public or the government should give these private, sectarian and other sorts of commissions to understand that they have no righ to appeal to the general public for financial assistance. It would be better still if the government would require that all money raised for war relief purposes be placed in Red Cross channels. Stating the matter plainly and bluntly, there are too many of these commissions and too many people doing separate work and holding separately soft snaps as a result of surplus commissions. They ought to be sat upon, and the money all concentrated into a few recognized channels.

Considerable of the trouble in this country at present is caused by two soldiers—General Apathy and Private Interest.

Instead of the American eagle, would it not be more appropriate for the Roosevelt school of Republicans to adopt the yellow hammer as the emblem of their party?

Now that Boise Penrose and George W. Perkins have selected a new chairman for the Republican National Committee, all doubts about the ultimate triumph of virtue are at rest.

When Timothy said "take a little wine for thy stomach's sake," he did not mean bootleg whisky. This will be news to lots of people who thought they were obeying Divine injunction.

Few men stop to think what sort of ancestors they will make.

Your business won't run like a clock unless you are the main spring.

The man who suggests that a compromise would be a fine thing is almost whipped.

Taxpayers assume to be clever, but they get fooled more frequently than any other class of people.

There are also those who mistake notoriety for fame.

Usually the independent candidate is too independent to obtain many votes.

What has become of the mother who used to lengthen daughter's skirts.

A boy's worry is based largely on the theory that there won't be enough to eat.

Opening your mouth and putting your foot in it is not as difficult as it sounds.

High School Hop Hiighly Successful

The pupils of the high school, the alumni and their friends made a very scintillating picture as they glided to and fro to the strains of the U. C. band from Berkeley at the annual invitational hop given by the student body at the high school auditorium last night. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all and the dancing continued till late hours last night.

The additorium was very effectively decorated with foliage, ferns, blue and red crepe paper, the school colors, and the flags of the United States and her allies.

The committees in charge of the affair were: Program, C. Cassidy '19, Ford '21, Miss Crain '21, and Miss Adair '21. Refreshments, Miss Freeman '19, Dreyspring '19, Fitspatrick '19. Decorations, G. Follett '18, Marcollo '21, Glover '19, Glavinovich, '18. Cleanup, Sharp '19, Lemoine '21, McLoughlin '21, Greathouse '21, Lindahl '21, Jones '21, and Bowers '21.

AMERICAN BLOOD WETS TRENCHES

Have YOU Proved Loyalty By Buying Liberty Bonds

BY JOHN LEISH TAIT

There are some tremendous lessons to be learned from the present status of the world strife.

One of the most momentous of them all is a lesson to America and Americans—a lesson to you and me—a personal lesson which we shall do well to accept in its fullest, personal application. It is the lesson of INDIVIDUAL INTEREST in this war.

The blood of American soldiers is wet upon the trenches, and the base hospitals are ministering to American wounded. The shadow of the Death Angel, "made in Germany," has fallen across your threshold and mine. It is no longer a thing detached and apart from us. We are in it. The blood of our sacrifice reeks upon the altar. It is now a personal affair.

We—you and I—must back our boys in the trenches, or forever cease to claim rank and title as Americans. The time has come when there are but two classes in this country—Americans, who are for the war in which our boys are pouring out their blood, and traitors, who are either against the war or indifferent toward it. And indifference is now, if anything, more despicable than antagonism.

There is one thing, at least, that most of us can do to prove our awareness of the situation and our loyalty to those who are fighting OUR battles over there; most of us can subscribe, in some degree, to the Third Liberty Loan.

It is totally beside the issue to point out that these bonds are a good investment. The investment feature is not the thing in question. It may require some sacrifice to convert present holdings into holding of Liberty Loan Bonds. But as far as we can manage it, you and I, if we accept the great lesson of the hour and take our part in the baptism of American blood which is for the cleansing of the nations and the rehabilitation of the world, we must "come across"—and come quickly, and with thankfulness that it is given to us to do even so little.

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1918
NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1918,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office, or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1918.

G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.
J. O. FORD, Deputy at Richmond.
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SUBSCRIPTIONS VOTES

Following is the standing of the different candidates today:

Vote	Standing
Richmond	
Miss Catherine Hayes	67,630
Miss Jessie Weldon	62,220
Miss Janet MacIntosh	61,750
Miss Adele Fazanochia	56,630
Miss Jane Carr Breck	38,630
Mrs. Abbie Hencken	10,400
Mis California Pizdotto	10,370
Miss Blanche Parker	10,020
Miss Nellie Maloney	10,030
Miss Gloria Osborne	10,080
Miss Georgia Dashiell	10,020
Miss Viva Miller	10,050
Miss Margaret Timmons	10,010
Rodeo	
Mrs. Nancy Baker	10,000
Miss Bertha E. Kueny	10,030
Crockett	
Miss Julia Horgan	10,010
Miss Bernice Madden	10,010
Miss Muriel Burden	10,050
Miss Nellie J. Casey	10,000
Martinez	
Miss Margie Lander	10,000
Miss Madeline Costa	10,000
Pinole	
Miss Charlotte Brandt	10,000
Miss Josephine Buckley	10,010

MILK FOR CHICKENS

Going over to the Eagle Creamery last night after a bottle of milk for the office cat, we told Mr. Silvera that if the weather kept up as hot as it has been for a couple of days it would sour the milk, and he said in that case we should feed it to the chickens. Some sense in that, too. As eggs are liable to be ten cents apiece next winter, people are beginning to raise more chicks than they have been for a year, and sour milk is mighty good for chickens, as well as all kinds of table scraps and stuff like that which would otherwise be wasted.

P. G. & E. OUTING

Manager F. J. Southerland of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, with Mrs. Southerland, will go to Stockton this morning, remaining over Sunday. They will attend the re-union of the P. G. & E. "family" under the auspices of the San Joaquin Valley employes. A Hoover dinner, followed by an entertainment at the Hotel Stockton, will take place tonight. On Sunday the out-of-town visitors are to be given a launch ride through the island country adjacent to Stockton.

Homer Keesling of Oakland, well known electrical engineer and active booster in the present Liberty Loan drive, was in Richmond this morning. His party, which included Mrs. Keesling, also visited Crockett and Pinole.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 5th, 1918.

No person shall be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:
A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
George K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave., Richmond.
L. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Fannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell Ave., Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City hall, Richmond
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 636 South 29th Street, Richmond.
J. R. Cryan, 321-6th St., Richmond
James M. Stewart, Standard Oil Co. Richmond.
Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
M. A. Hays, 2302 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
A. H. [illegible], El Cerrito.
W. H. Williams, Giant.
Frank Conlan, El Cerrito.
G. W. Adams, El Cerrito.
[illegible], San Pablo.
[illegible], San Pablo.

Moonlight Picnic at Long Beach

A moonlight picnic and clam bake will be held by the Epworth League and the Sunday school of the First Methodist church at Long Beach on April 26.

The jolly picnickers will be taken out in machines to the picnic grounds where games of all kinds will be played, stories told around the camp fire, while hot dogs will be roasted.

The arrangements are being made by Miss Nina Moody. Tickets will sell for 15 cents.

CLAIMS ALLOWED
April 15, 1918

29641	A C Faris, salary	$ 92.50
29642	J A Dadrien, salary	62.50
29643	J A McVittie, salary	92.50
29644	Nettie Whitesides, salary	50.00
29645	I R Vaughn, salary	92.50
29646	I E Marshall, salary	92.50
29647	W B Jenkins, salary	55.00
29648	Nellie E Coleman, slry	48.75
29649	Lela Follett, salary	42.50
29650	D J Hall, salary	137.50
29651	Joy Smith, salary	50.00
29652	C A Odell, salary	60.00
29654	J Erlandson, salary	50.00
29654	W J Osborne, salary	50.00
29655	Chas H Walker, salary	92.50
29656	Oliver Wylie, salary	60.00
29657	R Kirkpatrick, salary	60.00
29658	B V Shirley, salary	60.00
29659	S F Wright, salary	55.00
29660	Daniel Cox, salary	55.00
29661	H W Livingstone, salary	55.00
29662	D A Lang, salary	52.50
29663	L E Jones, salary	52.50
29664	M R Sprague, salary	52.50
29665	Chas S Mahnke, salary	52.50
29666	L E Eddlemon, salary	50.00
29667	J W Bolander, salary	50.00
29668	M J Bernal, salary	50.00
29669	Wm B May, salary	50.00
29670	W A McCandless, salary	50.00
29671	J L Gardner, salary	50.00
29672	Roy Lemoin, salary	92.50
29673	Howard Yeater, salary	65.00
29674	R F Paasch, salary	60.00
29675	J F Lathrop, salary	55.00
29676	S C Carr, salary	50.00
29677	Vernon Howard, salary	50.00
29678	Vernon Howard, salary	50.00
29679	Wm T Moore, salary	60.00
29680	R A Wells, salary	55.00
29681	Geo. Curran, salary	50.00
29682	Robert Taylor, salary	50.44
29683	F H Clark, salary	50.00
29684	Edward Bailey, salary	60.00
29685	Vernon Andrews, salary	60.00
29686	H B Smith, salary	50.00
29687	O N Smith, salary	50.00
29688	Francis Wilkins, salary	7.50
29689	C A Apperson, salary	75.00
29690	E L Krieg, salary	62.50
29691	F H Meader, salary	37.50
29692	C R Blake, salary	62.50
29693	[illegible] Long, salary	37.50
29694	H E Wyatt, salary	57.50
29695	P H Cunningham, salary	50.00
29696	H D Chapman, salary	125.00
29697	C R Martin, salary	60.00
29698	C H Miller, salary	60.00
29699	Leonie Trautvetter, slry	45.00
29700	H H Turley, salary	55.00
29701	J E McGowan, salary	47.50
29702	Wm Ellis, salary	60.00
29703	Jackson H Misner, salry	75.00
29704	F Jennings, salary	50.00
29705	A P Tyler, labor	21.00
29706	H T Hawkins, labor	21.00
29707	S [illegible], labor	21.00
29708	M Betera, labor	21.00
29709	C B Randall, labor	21.00
29710	W J Lane, labor	21.00
29711	F Anderson, labor	21.00
29712	T F Martin, labor	15.00
29713	F L Woodford labor	15.00
29714	N Tassi, labor	17.50
29715	L D Baldwin, team and driver	32.50
29716	N M Plankenship, team and driver	29.25
29717	Standard Oil Co., oils	73.10
29718	Elizabeth Favero, death benefit award	8.66
28719	M Elizabeth Childs, refund weed assessment	1.17
29720	Theo Marcolla, refund weed assessment	.62
29721	Independent Publ. Co., printing	81.25
29722	Nellie M. Scott, salary (C. Clerk's office)	36.00
29723	Rich. Prtg. and Publ. Co. publishing	39.30
29724	C P Martin salary (Engr. crew)	39.00
29725	Western States Gas and El. Co. lights	909.98
29726	J J Collins, repairs boiler (City hall)	96.50
29727	F H Higgins Co. fuel	41.15
29728	Blake Bros Co., rock	69.75
29729	Pioneer Electric Co., supplies	39.30
29730	Daniel Morgan, salary (Fire Dept.)	62.50
29731	W P Silva, salary, (Fire Dept.)	36.67
29732	Eccles and Smith Co., supplies, (Fide Dept)	47.33
29733	Chanslor and Lyon Co., supplies, (Fire Dept.)	9.81
29734	Pioneer Elec. Co., supplies, (Fire Dept.)	9.60
29735	A C Purdick, supplies, (Fire Dept.)	8.37
29736	J T Dunn, laundry, (Fire Dept.)	9.65
29737	S. F. O. T. Rys. power	2.00
29738	Stauffer Chemical Co., Supplies (F. Alarm)	16.87
29739	Chas H Walker, cash advanced (Stamps)	5.00
29740	Joseph Schmidt, launch hire (Police Dept.)	7.50
29741	Mt. Diablo Garage, auto repairs (Police Dept.)	3.10
29742	Frank Meader, poundmaster's Fees	17.00
29743	Pac. Tel. and Tel Co., Telephone service (Wharf No. 1	3.45
29744	Pioneer Elec. Co., supplies (Wharf No. 1)	3.45
29745	Ind. Pub. Co., printing, (C. vs. Carr)	100.00
29746	Union Transfer, drayage (Mun. Wharf No. 1.) (H. I. F.)	2.87
29747	P. A. Haviland, Engr's fees (H. I. F.)	166.00
	TOTAL	[illegible]

THE WAR, THE FARM AND THE FARMER

By Herbert Quick
Member Federal Farm Loan Board

The farmer everywhere loves peace. The American farmer especially loves peace. Since the dawn of history, the farmer has been the man who suffered most from war. All that he possesses lies out of doors in plain sight and is spoil of war—his house, his grain, his livestock. The flames that light the skies in the rear of every invading army are consuming the things that yesterday represented his life work, and the life labors of past generations of farmers.

Everywhere the farmer is a warrior when war is the only thing which will make and keep him free. He cannot rally to the colors as quickly as can the dwellers in the cities, because it takes longer to send to the farms the call to arms. It takes longer to call the farmers from the fields than the city dwellers from the shops. Many do not hear the first blast of the trumpet. Others do not at first understand its meaning because they have not had the time to talk the matter over with their acquaintances. Instead of reading half a dozen extras a day, the farmer may read weekly papers only. He must have more time in a sudden emergency to make up his mind.

It is impossible to set the farmers of the United States on fire by means of any sudden spark of rumor. But when they do ignite, they burn with a slow, hot fire which nothing can put out. They are sometimes the last to heat up; but they stay hot. In a long fight they are always found sturdily carrying the battle across No-Man's Land in the last grim struggle. The American farmer will give all that he has and all that he is to win this great war against war.

This war was at first hard to understand. No armed foe had invaded the United States. The night skies were not reddened by burning ricks and farm houses. No raiding parties robbed us of our cattle or horses. No saber-rattlers insulted our women. It seemed to many of us that we were not at war—the thing was so far off. We did not realize what a giant war had become—a monster with a thousand arms that could reach across the seas and take from us three-fourths of everything we grew. But finally we saw that it was so.

If the Imperial German government had made and enforced an order that no American farmer should leave his own land, haul grain or drive stock to town, it would have done only a little more than it accomplished by its interdict against the freedom of the sea. What was the order against which we rebelled when we went into this war? Look at the condition of the American farmer in the latter part of 1914 and the first half of 1915 and see.

When the war broke out, through surprise and panic we partially gave up for a while the use of the sea as a highway. And the farmers of America faced ruin. I know an Iowa farmer who sold his 1914 crop of 25,000 bushels of wheat for seventy cents a bushel. Farmers in the south sold their cotton for half the cost of producing it. All this time those portions of the world whose ports were open were ready to pay almost any price for our products. When finally we set our ships in motion once more, prosperity returned to the farms. But it never returned for the farmers of those nations which remained cut off from ocean traffic.

Take the case of Australia. There three crops have remained unsold on the farms. No ships could be spared to make the long voyage to Australia. So in spite of the efforts of the Government to save the farmers from ruin, grain has rotted in the open. Millions of tons have been lost for lack of a market.

Such conditions spell irretrievable disaster. Such conditions would have prevailed in this country from the outbreak of the war until now if our Government had not first resisted with every diplomatic weapon, and finally drawn the sword.

Why did we draw the sword? To keep up the price of wheat and cotton, and to protect trade only? If someone should order you to remain on your farm, and not to use the public highways, would your resistance be based only on the fear of loss in profits from failure to market your crops? By no means! You would fight to the last gasp! Not to make money, but to be free!

When a man is enslaved, all he loses in money is his wages. But the white man has never been able to accept slavery. He has never yet been successfully enslaved. There rises up in him against servitude a resentment so terrible that death always is preferable.

(This is the first of three articles. The second to be published next week.)

BOND WORKERS BUSY

Mayor Lane, City Clerk Faris, City Auditor McVittie and several others are out working hard for the third Liberty Loan drive. Among others they visit are those who have thus far failed or refused to buy, and some of these are hard customers to land. Mr. Faris said last evening that he thought Richmond would go over its quota by about $100,000. It certainly will if these gentlemen can possibly have their way, even partially, for they are hard workers.

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ROYAL NEIGHBORS SEW

The members of the Royal Neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Nettie Wagle, 915½ Macdonald avenue, yesterday and sewed for the Red Cross. Basket luncheons were enjoyed by those present.

SAN PABLO WHIST TONIGHT

The ladies of St. Paul's Catholic church at San Pablo have arranged what promises to be a very attractive and interesting whist party at the church parlors tonight. Many attractive prizes have been secured. Refreshments will follow the games.

Dorothy Dalton at T. & D. Today

When Thomas H. Ince produced "Flare-up Sal," the Paramount Picture now showing at the Richmond Theater, he advertised for men with whiskers, to take supernumerary parts as miners and prospectors of the days of the gold rush in California. The advertisement brought to the Ince-Paramount studio the greatest collection of facially camouflaged "types" in its history. Many of the applicants were actual miners of the days of '49. These last especially enjoyed the rehearsals. Miss Dalton herself, a great student of the history and lover of stories of these days, put even more than her usual enthusiasm into her work as did the excellent cast, including Thurston Hall, William Conklin and others.

Mrs. J. P. Smith will spend a week with her cousin, Miss Isabel Kildoo, at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Daily service to the News by the Richmond Abstract and Title Co.

Eugele L. and Adela W. Brock and Clara B. Bailey to Louis P. Ceregkino and C. P. Vosto, deed, lots 12, 13, 14, block 6, Cerrito Park.

Harborfront Realty Co. to Ola L. Dodge, deed, lot 13, block 17, Harborfront Track.

Contra Costa Realty Co. to John A. Robak, deed, lot 6, block 20, E. Richmond Boulevard.

P. B. and Mabel Hall Cross to Sarah Owens, deed, lots 10 and 11, block 40, Rich. Junction Heights.

New Richmond Land Co. to Jeanette Pemberton, deed, lot 13, block 230 Wall's Second Addn.

Charles L. Patton, trustee, to Jos. J. and Sarah R. Moran, par. recon, lot 42, block 10; lots 6, 34, 35, 36, block 5, Richmond City Center.

Richmond Annex Land Co. to M. Bornson, deed, lot 20, block 88, Richmond Annex.

Bay District Realty Co. to Cologero Dolce, deed, lots 27 and 28, block 12, Coleman Pullman Tract.

Bessie T. and Frank K. Colby to D. H. Clinton, deed, lots 11, 12, 13, block G; lots 17 and 18, block F, Nicholl Sub.; lot 7, block 10, Amd. Map No. 1, Town Pt. Richmond.

J. W. Wright & Sons Investment Co. to Rose Marinello, deed, lot 14, block 1; lot 9, block 1; lot 1, block 9, Emeric Sub. Richmond.

B. H. Griffins to F. W. Thompson, deed, lot 1, block 1, Griffins & Watrous Addn. Richmond.

Richmond Annex Land Co. to Martin Olaus Storheim, deed, lots 1 and 2, block 113, Richmond Annex.

E. J. and Emily Palmer to C. A. Fugler, deed, lot 66, Cerrito Terrace.

Stella C and Walter R. Lovegrove to Joe Amaral, deed, lots 2 and 3, block 16, Inner Harbor Business Blocks.

W. H. Spaulding to Minnie Thompson, deed, lots 26 and 26, block 4, Spaulding, Richmond, Pullman Townsite.

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THE RICHMOND CO. [illegible]

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SEE THE DISPLAY IN THE SHOW WINDOW, AND NOTE THE LOW PRICES

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M. M. CLUB MEETS

The M. M. Club of the First Christian church held a business and social meeting at the church parlors last night. A very entertaining program was enjoyed, being mostly made up of impromptu numbers.

The arrangements were made by Miss Margarete Knoble, Miss Mary Curry, Mrs. M. Bowers, James McCoy and E. Turner.

A series of meetings are being conducted by the Rev. Carl Bassett of the Calvary Baptist church at a church in San Francisco. The meetings were attended by the following Richmond people: Mrs. Eva Howard, Miss Eva L. Haynes, Miss Nellie Beck, Miss Irma Maxwell, Horace Parker and Willie Becker.

DILLEY INQUEST

The Coroner's Jury, sitting on the case of Mrs. Mary Dilley last night, made the following verdict, "deceased died of rupture of the aneurism of the aorta."

Judge Roth conducted the inquest in place of Dr. C. L. Abbott.

The funeral of Mrs. Dilley will be held this afternoon from the Curry Mortuary Chapel, and interment will be at Sunset View cemetery.

REDMEN GO TO PINOLE

The Onetah Tribe of Redmen will journey to Pinole tonight with their drill team and palefaces and initiate them with the palefaces of the Pinole lodge. The Richmond team will put on the work.

TO WORKING MEN AND BUSINESS MEN

BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL

Richmond, Dec. 20, 1917.

Editor "Richmond News"

Greeting:

"The Contra Costa County Building Trades Council assembled in regular session and in due appreciation of the fact that the "Richmond News" is favorable to the cause of Organized Labor, and has shown by its course and policies that such is the case requests of its members and all who are affiliated or friendly with Organized Labor in Richmond, that they subscribe for and become readers of the "Richmond News," thus giving it their moral and financial support. "The Building Trades Council also appreciates the advertising and other patronage given the "Richmond News" by the citizens and business men of Richmond as being deserved, and hopes to see that patronage largely increased for the coming the coming year of 1918.

J. A. SHAFFER, Pres.
J. O. DAHL, Sec.
(SEAL)

CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL

The Contra Costa Central Labor Council, in due appreciation of the fact that the Richmond Daily News is favorable to the cause of organized labor, and has shown by its course that such is the case, requests of its members, and all affiliated with organized labor in Richmond, that they subscribe for and become readers of the Daily News, thus giving its moral and financial support.

The Council also appreciates the advertising and other public patronage given the Daily News by the business men of Richmond, as being deserved and hopes to see that patronage largely increased for the coming year of 1918.

Richmond, Dec. 19, 1917.

Endorsed by Contra Costa Central Labor Council.

E. M. MINER, President.
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HI SCHOOL NOTES

The sophomores of the high school placed a huge banner with "sophomores '20" inscribed on it in such a position on Twentysecond street, near the new addition, that it is impossible to take it off. Now all the other classmen are racking their brains for a way to dislodge it and also to put one over on the sophomores for the stunt.

Professor Tucker advised the sophomores to take it down, whereat they offered to play a picked team of all other classmen a game of basketball and the loser to take the pennant down. The challenge was refused by the other classmen.

Junior Red Cross

The girl members of the Junior Red Cross are quite busy on work at the high sewing room every evening from 3:30 to 4:30, and considerable work has been completed by them. Such as knit goods and clothes for Belgian children.

Baseball Team

A baseball team is in the process of formulation for the high school. The aspirants for the varsity team are out every night and putting in considerable practice. A captain will be elected in the near future and he will pick his men. Figuring on present indications it seems that a very fast team could be picked of the available material.

Marcello Speaks at T. & D.

Leo Marcello, a senior at the high, spoke as one of the four-minute men at the Richmond T. & D. last night on the bonds. Leo is quite talented as a speaker and is able to deliver his message in a direct and forceful manner.

A competitive talk will be held at the high school Monday in which all the most able talkers in the school will take part, the winners of which will then be appointed minute-men to speak at various places in town for the support of the Liberty Bonds.

Among the twenty who will talk are Leo Marcello, Miss Muriel Fitzpatrick, Dorman Miner, James Sharp, and George Mino.

ATTEND CONVENTION

A convention of the Parent Teachers' Association of the bay cities is being held in San Francisco this week. It is a very interesting convention and was attended by Mrs. H. A. Stiver yesterday and Mrs. Cavin, Mrs. Frymire and Mrs. Ludewig the day before.

LIBRARY NOTES

Helps for the Builder

Spring is here and with it begins the building activities. The library realizing this, has placed on the special exhibit table books on home building and building plans to help the prospective builder decide on just what sort of a house would meet his needs. The exhibit also includes books on landscape gardening.

It is a very nice display, made up of up-to-date and practical books to assist the builder.

Story Hours

Miss Edith Pickett will tell the following stories at the West Side library in the morning and then at the main library in the afternoon at the usual hours:

"How We First Came to Have Umbrellas."

"Legend of the Arbutus."

"The Goldenrod and Aster."

"Legend of the Woodpecker."

The librarian and her assistant are busy preparing, classifying and packing the books collected in the Camp Kearny campaign, so that they will be ready for circulation the minute they arrive in camp, wherever that may be. The books will in all probability be sent away during the week.

BE KIND TO ANIMALS

This week is "Be Kind to Animals Week," and is observed as such all over the United States. The school teachers spoke to children on the subject and urged the children to refrain from all cruelty to dumb animals.

All pulpits in Richmond will speak on "Be Kind to Dumb Animals" Sunday morning, as will every minister in the United States.

ENTERTAIN PATRONS

The Miramar Chapter, O. E. S., entertained the East Bay patrons with an informal dance at Fraternal Hall last night. All Eastern Stars and Masons were invited and a most pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

PIEMONTE DANCE

A delightful dance will be held at the Piemont Hotel Saturday evening, the same being arranged by C. Mighetti, the proprietor. Refreshments will be served after the dance.

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TELEGRAPH ITEMS

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SOCIALISTS SENTENCED TO PRISON

MINNEAPOLIS, April 19.—James A. Patterson, former Socialist candidate for United States senator, was sentenced to four years in Leavenworth prison and Jacob Bentall, former Socialist candidate for governor, to five years today, by Judge Page Morris in federal court for violation of the espionage laws.

HASEY ADMITS GUILT

Edward Hasey admitted to Assistant District Attorney C. Tranultolo that he was a draft evader and was willing to face a jury trial. Hasey claims that the "Druid faith," in its ritual, opposes war.

He was arrested last week upon action by the head Druid lodge in San Francisco, and he was promptly expelled from the order. The Druids deny that their order is a pacifist one and cite the number of men in Uncle Sam's service, which is larger in percentage than any other lodge.

SUSPECT ARRESTED

Antone Ferrario was arrested in San Diego yesterday and is suspected of being the man who shot G. Rabolli at Stege Junction six months ago. He is also wanted as a draft slacker and Undersheriff W. Veale left last night to bring him back. Rabolli, who was shot, returned to work at the Giant Powder Works after an illness of a month.

HEIRS WANT $20,000

The heirs of C. A. Brooks, who was killed at the Pinole tunnel a year ago while a member of Company H, National Guards, filed a suit for $20,000 against the Santa Fe railroad.

The heirs are Marie Brooke, and Ilace Brooks, minors, and suing through their guardian, Mrs. Mary Kale.

ELCHO DANCE TONIGHT

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